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To the U.S. Department of Energy:

Our home is only two miles from Interstate-55, one of the highways I understand is being considered for some of the shipments of highly radioactive waste from nuclear power plants heading for Nevada. I assume many Americans live near some interstate highway or railway, and the farms that grow our foods are crisscrossed by interstate corridors, too.

1 [ Please keep nuclear plant wastes where they are generated, at the power plants, until some genius figures out how to make the wastes safe and the shipping containers absolutely accident-proof and terrorist-proof.

Very truly yours,

Rita Smagala

